

T.E.A.C.H. COURSE CATALOG

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
	MS/HS	Study Hall		Tuesday/Thursday/Wednesday
		Description	This is a time for studying and finishing assignments.	
		Curriculum	NA	
		Homework	NA	
		Fee	For a 2 day/week period, the fee is \$20/ month. For a once a week period, the fee is \$10/month. Monthly study hall fees are payable to the study hall monitor (TBA).	
		Supplies	NA	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Elective	MS/HS	S.T.E.A.M.M.	Sarah Bridges & Jacob Stephens	Wednesday
		Description	S.T.E.A.M.M. is a hands-on, low-stress dive into the science, technology, engineering, art, math, & mind disciplines. Crafts, games, puzzles, experiments, & demonstrations provide a fun, creative outlet for both artistic & engineering-minded students alike.	
		Curriculum	Provided by instructor	
		Homework	Little to none	
		Lab/supply fee	\$65 per semester	
		Supplies	NA	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Elective	MS/HS	Art & Photography	Dalton Thomas	Wednesday
		Description	Students will learn the principles, techniques, and execution of various art mediums, including photography. They will also study art history and recreate historical art forms.	
		Curriculum	NA	
		Homework	Weekly assignments	
		Lab/supply fee	\$125/semester	
		Supplies	Cell phone or point & shoot camera	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Elective	MS/HS	Yearbook	Amanda Millican	Tuesday
		Description	Students will gain skills in the yearbook creation process. They will learn by doing page/digital design, photography, journalism & marketing. A special emphasis will be on organization, teamwork, critiquing, editing, and meeting authentic deadlines. Using these skills, students will create a T.E.A.C.H. yearbook. Ages 13+	
		Curriculum	Supplied by instructor	
		Homework	0-1.5 hours/week	
		Lab/supply fee	Nonrefundable \$50/semester	
		Supplies	one-inch binder, yearly planner, pens/pencils, and a laptop for class use	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Elective	K-5th	Elementary Orchestra	Brook Deaton	Wednesday
		Description	An introductory course encompassing all instruments. Any expertise level is welcome! We will learn the basics of stringed instruments, focus on rhythms, and expand the students' knowledge of musical artists and appreciation. The students will also learn beginning music reading and basic theory. Ages 5-12. All students are required to attend every performance.	
		Supplies	Stringed instrument of choice required before the first day of class.	
		Homework	Daily practice	
		Lab/supply fee	Nonrefundable \$50/semester supply fee	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Elective	MS/HS	Orchestra & Band	Brook Deaton	Wednesday
		Description	For students seeking a music education or to improve on a musical instrument already in their repertoire. Students will acquire a foundation for their musical instrument while learning to read music, apply basic improvisational skills, and perform as an orchestral/ensemble member along fellow musicians and classmates. Ages 13-18. All students are required to attend every performance.	
		Curriculum	NA	
		Homework	2-5 hours weekly practice	
		Lab/supply fee	NA	
		Supplies	Students need to provide their own instruments.	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Elective	MS/HS	Choir & Vocal Performance	Brook Deaton	Wednesday
		Description	Choral & musical theater activities. There will be several public performances, including a musical performance at the end of each semester for students to display their progress to family and friends. All students are required to attend every performance.	
		Curriculum	NA	
		Homework	NA	
		Lab/supply fee	NA	
		Supplies	NA	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Elective	Elementary	Home Economics	Sally Fincher	Wednesday
		Description	This class is geared for young students who have no experience with sewing or baking. The first semester will include basic hand sewing crafts & group projects that teach students how to use a sewing machine. The second semester will launch our novice cooking class starting with common baking knowledge. Students will complete this course with a firm foundation of knowing their way around the sewing machine and kitchen. Ages 5-11	
		Curriculum	NA	
		Homework	As needed	
		Lab/supply fee	NA	
		Supplies	Students must bring their own sewing machine, new pattern & fabric for project if needed.	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Elective	MS/HS	Robotics	Sarah Bridges & Jacob Stephens	Wednesday
		Description	Students learn the engineering method, problem solving strategies, and the fundamentals of electronics and mechanics in this highly hands-on class. Ages 13+	
		Curriculum	Supplied by instructor	
		Homework	NA	
		Lab/supply fee	\$45/semester	
		Supplies	NA	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Elective	MS/HS	Home Economics	Sally Fincher	Wednesday
		Description	This welcomes students with sewing experience and can use a sewing machine. The first semester: group projects for advanced and novice seamstress including garments with buttons and zippers, depending on each student's ability. Second semester: homestead-style cooking class that includes common baking knowledge, cheese making, bread kneading & crafting from scratch, soap making, and canning & preservation. Students will complete this course with a firm foundation of knowing their way around the sewing machine and kitchen. Ages 11+	
		Curriculum	NA	
		Homework	As needed	
		Lab/supply fee	\$50 for sewing projects & baking ingredients	
		Supplies	Students must bring their own sewing machines, new patterns & fabric for project as needed.	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Elective	MS/HS	Keyboarding and Video Game Design	Sarah Bridges & Jacob Stephens	Wednesday
		Description	Students learn touch typing, good coding habits, programming logic, debugging, and more by creating short animated projects and games. Students explore terminology and concepts they will later encounter in other programming languages as well as the history and science of computers. If students are interested in careers in gaming or animation, or just wish to develop typing skills and computer literacy in general, this course is a fun place to start. Neither prior programming skills nor computer knowledge is required. Ages 13+	
		Curriculum	Supplied by Instructor	
		Homework	As needed	
		Lab/supply fee	\$45 per semester	
		Supplies	Laptop running any version of Windows (NO Chromebooks, iPads, etc)	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Languages	MS/HS	Spanish 1 & 2	Beckie Rosillo	Wednesday
		Description	Both courses focus on conversation, emphasizing pronunciation, fluency, grammar, reading, and vocabulary at an everyday level. Each also provides knowledge, and linguistic structures as well as an introduction to Spanish culture. Spanish 2 pre-requisite: Spanish 1	
		Curriculum	Realidades 1 & 2	
		Homework	Weekly and daily Duolingo practice	
		Lab/supply fee	Spanish 1: \$27 – book rental, copies, supplemental material Spanish 2: \$25 – book rental, copies, supplemental material	
		Supplies	Pencils/Pens, Red Folder with brads & pockets, notebook paper	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Languages	MS/HS	Latin 1	Sarah Bridges	Wednesday
		Description	First-year Latin focuses on classical pronunciation, grammar, natural translation, and vocabulary building with an emphasis on English derivatives, Greek/Roman mythology, and Roman culture. No prior Latin class is required. Ages 13+	
		Curriculum	Provided by instructor	
		Homework	Weekly	
		Lab/supply fee	\$45 per semester	
		Supplies	None	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Languages	MS/HS	Sign Language (ASL)	Amanda Millican	Thursday
		Description	For vocabulary, the lessons are reinforced by using stories. Students will also learn about deaf grammar and culture. Sign Language websites will be assigned for homework, yet can be accomplished differently if a family needs another way to learn at home. Games played in class enhance their fun and expand the students' learning	
		Curriculum	NA	
		Homework	As needed	
		Lab/supply fee	NA	
		Supplies	Nonrefundable \$50/semester fee	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Math	MS	Math 6 & Math 7	Sondra Carr	Tuesday/Thursday
		Description	Math 6 & 7 are two separate classes. Each strengthens basic multiplication, division, percentage, measurement, and geometry skills. Daily mental math, problem-solving exercises will increase their math skills.	
		Curriculum	6 th grade: Math U See Zeta-student pack https://store.demmelearning.com/zeta-student-pack.html (parent purchase) 7 th grade: Math Mammon supplied by Instructor	
		Homework	Practice needed to be successful in math. Homework assigned on Tuesday will be due on Thursday of that same week. Homework assigned on Thursday will be due on Tuesday of the following week.	
		Lab/supply fee	6 th grade: \$40 copy fee 7 th grade: \$75 for curriculum (Math Mammoth) & copies	
		Supplies	2-3 inch binder, dividers, notebook paper, glue stick, 24 count crayons, 12-inch ruler, handheld pencil sharpener, & pencils	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Math	HS	Personal Financial Literacy	Sondra Carr	Thursday
		Description	This practical math trains students in mathematical applications used in everyday situations. This course includes real-world examples and an emphasis on critical thinking skills to solve life problems. Topics include personal finance skills, budgeting, mortgages, car loans, insurance, assets & debts, income tax & withholdings, saving for college, emergencies & retirement, taxes & tips, buying versus renting, writing checks and net worth.	
		Curriculum	Provided by Instructor	
		Homework	NA	
		Lab/supply fee	Nonrefundable copy & supply fee \$80	
		Supplies	Simple calculator, binder, notebook paper, and pencils	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Math	MS/HS	Pre-Algebra	Michael Balaban	Tuesday/Thursday
		Description	Pre-Algebra is an introduction to basic algebra concepts and a review of arithmetic concepts. The course emphasizes the concepts necessary to be successful in Algebra 1 and 2. The course helps students develop good mathematical study skills and learning strategies.	
		Curriculum	Math-U-See	
		Homework	2-5 hours/week	
		Lab/supply fee	\$85 nonrefundable fee for textbook and copies	
		Supplies	2-3 inch binder, notebook paper, pencils, colored pencils, calculator, sticky index tabs, and scissors	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Math	HS	Algebra 1	Jessica Maddox	Tuesday/Thursday
		Description	Algebra 1 is the foundation for all future mathematics courses. It introduces the fundamentals of algebraic problem solving such as, equations, solving inequalities, exponents, polynomials, and factoring, radical expressions and equations.	
		Curriculum	Provided by Instructor: All Things Algebra	
		Homework	3-4 hours/week	
		Lab/supply fee	\$85 nonrefundable fee for textbook and copies	
		Supplies	2-3 inch binder, notebook paper, pencils, colored pencils, TI-84 graphing calculator, sticky index tabs & scissors	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Math	HS	Algebra 2	Jessica Maddox	Tuesday/Thursday
		Description	Algebra 2 continues to build a foundation of mathematics for those students going on to Pre-Calculus and/or students who are college bound. This course is for students to develop skills in manipulating and solving linear, quadratic, exponential, polynomial, radical, rational, and logarithmic equations.	
		Curriculum	Provided by Instructor: All Things Algebra	
		Homework	3-4 hours/week	
		Lab/supply fee	\$85 nonrefundable fee for textbook and copies	
		Supplies	2-3 inch binder, notebook paper, pencils, colored pencils, TI-84 graphing calculator, sticky index tabs & scissors	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Math	HS	Geometry	Michael Balaban	Tuesday/Thursday
		Description	This course builds on Algebra 1 skills with the application of geometric principles to the physical world. It emphasizes the study of the properties and applications of common geometric figures in two and three dimensions. It also includes the introduction to trigonometry.	
		Curriculum	Math-U-See	
		Homework	2-5 hours/week	
		Lab/supply fee	\$85 nonrefundable fee for textbook and copies	
		Supplies	2-3 inch binder, notebook paper, pencils, colored pencils, TI-84 graphing calculator, sticky index tabs & scissors	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Math	HS	Pre-Cal		Tuesday/Thursday
		Description	Pre-Calculus weaves together previous studies of algebra, geometry, and mathematical functions into a prep course for calculus. Topics include fundamental concepts of algebra, functions and graphs, polynomials and rational functions, exponential and logarithmic functions, trigonometric functions, systems of equations and inequalities, matrices and determinants and conic sections.	
		Curriculum	Provided by Instructor	
		Homework	2-5 hours/week	
		Lab/supply fee	\$60 for Pre-Calculus by All Things Algebra (to be purchased from teacher) & \$20 copy fee	
		Supplies	2-3 inch binder, notebook paper, pencils, colored pencils, TI-84 graphing calculator, sticky index tabs & scissors	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Science	MS	General Science 6	Karon Farquhar	Tuesday/Thursday
		Description	A broad spectrum study of general science covering Physical Science, Life Science, and Earth and Space Science. Many hands-on projects will make for an exciting endeavor; giving students a love for science that will carry them through high school and beyond. The class curriculum is sixth grade level and students should have the maturity to work independently. Ages 11+	
		Curriculum	Steck Vaughn General Science (purchase from teacher)	
		Homework	Preparing for quizzes and completing assignments	
		Lab/supply fee	\$40 annual lab fee; Science text \$10	
		Supplies	notebook paper, scissors, pencils, map pencils, glue sticks, and occasional materials may be needed for individual projects (Example - a shoe box)	

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Science	MS/HS	Environmental Science	Pat Kriener	Tuesday/Thursday (offered every other year)
		Description	The class will explore Texas with an emphasis on how our everyday decisions affect the environment, ways we can make a difference, & careers available in this field. This is a project-oriented class.	
		Curriculum	Teacher generated	
		Homework	Projects, research, studying for tests	
		Lab/supply fee	Nonrefundable \$60 fee	
		Supplies	3-prong 2 pocket folder, 10 dividers, composition notebook	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Science	MS/HS	Herbal Studies	Pat Kriener	Tuesday/Thursday
		Description	We will explore the history, growing, harvesting, preserving, and many uses of plants in our daily lives. Many in-class projects & monthly take-home herbal kits such as making incense, lotions, salves or syrups. Multiple forms of hands-on experimentation.	
		Curriculum	Teacher generated.	
		Homework	At home projects	
		Lab/supply fee	Nonrefundable \$75	
		Supplies	3-prong 2 pocket folder , 5 dividers, composition notebook	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Science	MS/HS	Geology	Pat Kriener	Tuesday/Thursday (offered every other year)
		Description	Geology is the study of the Earth- it's interior and exterior surfaces, the rocks and other materials around us, the processes that have resulted in the formation of those materials, as well as the surface water and the water that flows underground. Topics covered in this class will include rocks and minerals, the water cycle, plate tectonics, volcanoes, earthquakes and more. We will learn through reading, video tutorials, demonstrations, labs, and projects. This will be a project/experiment based course. Ages 12+	
		Curriculum	Online textbook through CK-12, teacher handouts, video tutorials, labs, and projects.	
		Homework	Reading assignments and notes, study guides, lab reports, projects, and unfinished classwork.	
		Lab/supply fee	Nonrefundable \$75 PER SEMESTER lab fee, and \$25 copy fee. 2nd semester \$75 lab fee due in Dec.	
		Supplies	A single 1-2 inch binder with 5 dividers, lined paper, calculator, pencils, pens, colored pencils, and one glue stick.	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Science	HS	Physical Science	Jennifer Grisham	Tuesday/Thursday
		Description	Physical Science is an introduction to topics covered in Physics and Chemistry. We will take general science practices and apply them to the world around us. In this course we will learn about matter, waves, forces, motion, and more. We will utilize a project/experiment based model. We will learn through reading, labs, video tutorials, teacher handouts, and projects. This is a freshman level course.	
		Curriculum	Online textbook from CK-12, teacher handouts, video tutorials, labs, and projects.	
		Homework	Reading assignments and notes, study guides, unfinished classwork, lab reports and projects.	
		Lab/supply fee	Nonrefundable \$75 PER SEMESTER lab fee, and \$25 copy fee. 2nd semester \$75 lab fee due in Dec.	
		Supplies	A single 1-2 inch binder with 5 dividers, lined paper, calculator, pencils, pens, colored pencils, and one glue stick.	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Science	HS	Chemistry	Jennifer Grisham	Tuesday/Thursday
		Description	Chemistry is the central science. Understanding chemistry is essential to understanding physics and biology. Chemistry is all about matter, what it is made of, and its properties. Topics covered include atoms, properties of matter, molecules, compounds the Periodic Table, chemical bonds, stoichiometry, acids, bases, and reactions. We will learn through reading, video tutorials, demonstrations, labs, and hands-on activities.	
		Curriculum	Chemistry: Matter and Change, teacher handouts, video tutorials, and hands on activities including labs.	
		Homework	Reading assignments and notes, lab reports, unfinished classwork, and occasional projects.	
		Lab/supply fee	Nonrefundable \$75 PER SEMESTER lab fee, and \$25 copy fee. 2nd semester \$75 lab fee due in Dec.	
		Supplies	A single 1-2 inch binder with 5 dividers, calculator, lined paper, pencils, pens, and colored pencils.	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Science	HS	Biology	Jennifer Grisham	Tuesday/Thursday
		Description	Biology is the study of living things, how they work, and what they do. This course covers the cell, organelles, history, biochemistry, genetics, ecology, classification, plus creationist and theory of evolution points of view, with a special focus on biological concepts. We will learn through reading from the textbook, video tutorials, labs, and dissections.	
		Curriculum	Pandia Press Biology 2 (NOT the E-Book), teacher handouts, video tutorials, and hands on activities including labs and dissections.	
		Homework	Reading assignments and notes, lab reports, study guides, unfinished classwork, and the occasional project or at-home experiment.	
		Lab/supply fee	Nonrefundable \$75 PER SEMESTER lab fee, and \$25 copy fee. 2nd semester \$75 lab fee due in Dec.	
		Supplies	A single 1-2 inch binder with 5 dividers, lined paper, pencils, pens, colored pencils, and a glue stick.	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Science	HS	Physics	Sarah Bridges	Wednesday
		Description	Physics helps students understand the mechanics and laws of motion in our universe. Topics covered will include kinematics, motion, forces, types of energy, conservation of energy, momentum, light, sound, electricity, and magnetism.	
		Curriculum	<i>The Physics Classroom</i> , hands-on demos and supplementals (provided by instructor)	
		Homework	Reading assignments and notes, lab reports, study guides, unfinished classwork, and the occasional project.	
		Lab/supply fee	Nonrefundable \$85/semester fee	
		Supplies	Provided by instructor	

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English	MS	English 6	Karon Farquhar	Tuesday/Thursday
		Description	English 6 will engage students with the full spectrum of language arts. The students will do daily journaling to improve writing skills. Grammar and spelling are a daily part of the curriculum. They will read four novels throughout the school year to improve comprehension skills. The class will prepare students with the skills to be successful in the next grade level. The class curriculum is sixth grade level and students should have the maturity to work independently. Ages 11+	
		Curriculum	1. Shurley Method Grammar (purchase from teacher) 2. Evan-Moor Building Spelling Skills Grade 6 (purchase from the teacher) 3. Novels: Island of the Blue Dolphins; George Muller: The Guardian of Bristol's Orphans; Wonder (parents purchase)	
		Homework	Reading, Spelling, and Language Arts Activities	
		Lab/supply fee	Annual Copy Fee \$35; Shurley Grammar \$20; Spelling Skills Grade 6 \$25	
		Supplies	pencils, notebook paper, 2 folders with pockets	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
English	MS	English 7/8	Karon Farquhar	Tuesday/Thursday
		Description	English 7/8 will engage students with the full spectrum of language arts. The students will do daily journaling to improve writing skills. Grammar is a daily part of the curriculum. Writing skills will include expository, descriptive, narrative, and persuasive writing. They will read novels throughout the school year to improve comprehension and reading skills. The class will prepare students with the skills to be successful in the next grade level. Ages12+	
		Curriculum	Fix-It Grammar (purchase from teacher) 7/8 TEACH English Handbook by Terri White (purchase from teacher) Novels: The Giver; Number the Stars; Holes (parents purchase)	
		Homework	Reading and Language Arts Activities	
		Lab/supply fee	Annual Copy Fee \$35; 7/8 English Handbook \$25; Fix-It Grammar \$25	
		Supplies	pencils, notebook paper, 2 folders with pockets	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
English	MS/HS	English 8/9	Dianna Walker	Tuesday/Thursday
		Description	Students will continue to develop a solid foundation in grammar, reading and writing through this course. Students will continue to learn many grammar concepts such as parts of speech, phrases, clauses, verb tense, and subject-verb agreement. The students will learn to practice expressing their own ideas through creative and formal writing. A variety of writing techniques will be examined and applied. Literature is incorporated to develop comprehension and reading skills.	
		Curriculum	Grammar and Composition Handbook; Easy Grammar 8; 8/9 English Handbook by Mrs. White; Wordly Wise Vocabulary; short stories and novels such as The Diary of Anne Frank, The Westing Game, The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, etc.	
		Homework	1 to 2 hours per week	
		Lab/supply fee	\$55 (book purchases and rentals from teacher)	
		Supplies	Pencils, Yellow Folder with brads & pockets, paper & a composition notebook	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
English	HS	English 1	Dianna Walker	Wednesday
		Description	English 1 has a strong focus on composition to develop skills in analytical writing, language and composition. Students are taught several methods of prewriting. Students learn to write well-developed paragraphs by using supporting details with examples, sentence variety, word precision, editing, and revising. Literature has a primary focus on American authors for the development of comprehension skills and vocabulary.	
		Curriculum	Grammar and Composition Handbook; Write Right with Mrs. White Comp 1 by Terri White; Wordly Wise Vocabulary; Literature includes <i>Touching Spirit Bear</i> , Edgar Allan Poe, and other selections	
		Homework	1 to 2 hours per week	
		Lab/supply fee	\$55 (book purchases and rentals from teacher)	
		Supplies	Pencils, Green Folder with brads & pockets, paper & a composition notebook	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
English	HS	English 2	Dianna Walker	Wednesday
		Description	English 2 has a strong focus on composition to develop skills in analytical writing, language and composition. Students continue to write well developed paragraphs by using supporting details with examples, sentence variety, word precision, editing and revising. Literary analysis and use of the research process are emphasized. Literature has a primary focus on British authors with the development of comprehension skills and vocabulary.	
		Curriculum	Write Right with Mrs. White, Comp 2 by Terri White; Wordly Wise Vocabulary; Literature includes <i>Romeo and Juliet</i> , <i>All Creatures Great and Small</i> , <i>The Same Kind of Different as Me</i> , or other selections.	
		Homework	1 to 2 hours per week	
		Lab/supply fee	\$55 (book purchases and rentals from teacher)	
		Supplies	Pencils/Pens, Blue Folder with brads & pockets, paper & a composition notebook	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
English	HS	English 3	Beckie Rosillo	Wednesday
		Description	English 3 fine-tunes the writing skills taught in English 1 & 2. It further develops skills in analytical writing, language, and formal essays. Students will learn literary analysis and the use of the research process. Reading skills include inferences, main ideas, recognition of literary devices, and genres. Students will practice test-taking skills to prepare for college entrance exams like TSI, SAT, and ACT.	
		Curriculum	Write Right With Mrs. White, Comp 3 (purchased from teacher); Wordly Wise Vocabulary; Literature includes works from Edgar Allan Poe, Emily Dickinson, Robert Frost, Shakespeare, or other authors	
		Homework	2-5 hrs/wk	
		Lab/supply fee	\$55 (book purchases and rentals from teacher)	
		Supplies	Pens/pencil, folder for homework, notebook paper, thesaurus & dictionary (paperback or electronic)	

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History	MS	U.S. History	Sarah Morton	Tuesday
		Description	U.S. history from the earliest times to the present day. Each week at home students will read selections from their history texts, take brief notes, answer reading questions, and then in class learn more details through short lectures, class discussions, activities, and student presentations. Students will synthesize what they learn with outlines, timelines, and maps. They will also learn how to analyze a primary source. Includes three larger projects: one historical fiction book report, an oral history project, and a presentation on a famous American.	
		Curriculum	American History: A Visual Encyclopedia by DK and the Smithsonian Institute (2019 edition); The American Story: 100 True Tales from American History by Jennifer Armstrong	
		Homework	2-4 hours weekly, including short readings, questions, note-taking, and projects	
		Lab/supply fee	\$75 for supplies, rented books, consumables, & supplies	
		Supplies	Teacher provided	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
History	MS	Texas History	Sarah Morton	Thursday
		Description	Texas history from the earliest times of Native American inhabitants to the present day. Each week at home students will read a short selection from a history text, answer comprehension questions, and then in class learn more details through short lectures, class discussions, and activities. Students will organize what they learn through outlines, timelines, and maps. They will learn how to study a primary source. They will choose a historical fiction novel to read and present to the class with a book report. As a capstone project, students will research a famous Texan of any era and present their research to the class	
		Curriculum	Students will rent books from teacher.	
		Homework	2-4 hours weekly, including reading, comprehension questions, and projects	
		Lab/supply fee	\$75 for rented books, copies, and supplies.	
		Supplies	Teacher provided	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
History	MS/HS	World Geography	Sarah Morton	Tuesday & Thursday
		Description	Learn about the diverse lands, peoples, and cultures of our Earth through a class filled with games, hands-on projects, and other activities.	
		Curriculum	National Geographic Student World Atlas, 6th Edition 2019 by National Kids (student edition, new/used)	
		Homework	2-3 hours a week of reading, answering questions, & projects	
		Lab/supply fee	\$75 for books, consumables, & supplies	
		Supplies	Teacher provided	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
History	HS	U.S. History	Donna Tarron	Wednesday
		Description	Is history all about memorizing dates and places? No way! Learn American History from pre-Colombian contact to present day by learning about the people that lived it, using source documents. Note: Internet access is a requirement for this class.	
		Curriculum	Provided my teacher	
		Homework	2-4 hours weekly	
		Lab/supply fee	\$40	
		Supplies	Notebook, Pen/Pencil, Internet Access	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
History	HS	World History	Donna Tarron	Wednesday
		Description	Zoom through World History by exploring cultures, people groups, and civilizations. Learn how choices by real people change the course of human history, from the dawn of civilization to today. Note: Internet access is a requirement for this class.	
		Curriculum	Provided by teacher	
		Homework	2-4 hours weekly	
		Lab/supply fee	\$40	
		Supplies	Notebook, Pen/Pencil, Internet Access	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
History	HS	Government & Economics	Donna Tarron	Wednesday (offered every other year)
		Description	Government/Economics: Fun with public policy and money? Of course! First semester (government) lessons explore the origin and structure of the American government, using source documents. Second semester (economics) lessons dive into supply and demand and the free market economy. Note: Internet access is a requirement for this class.	
		Curriculum	Provided by teacher	
		Homework	2-4 hours weekly	
		Lab/supply fee	\$40 supply fee	
		Supplies	Notebook, pencil/pen, Internet access	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
Elective	Elementary	All About Animals	Annie Rasco	Wednesday
		Description	We will explore the identification, diversity, environments, anatomy, adaptations, career paths, and protection of the worldwide animal kingdom. Includes live animal visits. Kinder-5th grades	
		Curriculum	n/a	
		Homework	n/a	
		Lab/supply fee	\$50	
		Supplies	n/a	

Course	Level	Class	Teacher	Day of the week
	MS/HS	Speech	Beckie Rosillo	Wednesday
		Description	Speech class is designed to push students out of their comfort zone in a fun way to increase their confidence in public speaking while building a foundation in oral communications principles and successful experiences with quick speeches in front of the class. Students will study famous speeches as well as learn the importance of reading body language for effective oral communication. The goal of this class is to create a fun and exciting environment for students to become powerful communicators.	
		Curriculum	National Speech and Debate Association; Junior Toastmasters	
		Homework	Preparing speeches	
		Lab/Supply Fee	\$20	
		Supplies	Pencils/Pens, Red Folder with brads & pockets, notebook paper	